

February 12, 2009

## VIA EXPRESS MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Kristine Koch Remedial Project Manager US Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10 1200 Sixth Avenue, Suite 900 Seattle WA 98101-3140

Re: Response to CERCLA 104(e) Request for Information

Dear Ms. Koch:

Enclosed please find the Oregon Department of State Lands' response to EPA's CERCLA 104(e) Request for Information (dated January 18, 2008)("Request"). As you know, the Oregon Department of State Lands (DSL) administers the state-owned submerged and submersible land within the Investigation Area identified in the Request. The Request implicates the submerged and submersible land adjacent to 180 upland tax lots, approximately 125 of which fall within the scope of Question 4. Those 125 tax lots comprise 75 upland "sites." For that reason, DSL is providing in the enclosed response package both a General Response and seventy-five (75) property-specific responses.

The General Response provides information common to most, if not all, of the 75 areas identified in response to Request Question 4 (as shown on a Table attached at the end of the General Response). The General Response is provided in both hard copy and on a DVD that includes responsive documents, which are linked and bookmarked to the applicable questions. The property-specific response provides any additional or different information relevant to that area and generally addresses only those questions for which the response differs from the General Response. Responsive documents are attached in PDF format, linked and bookmarked to the applicable questions. Each property-specific response is on its own CD.

If you have any questions with DSL's response package, please call Steve Purchase, Assistant Director of the Land Management Division. Mr. Purchase can be reached at (503) 986-5279.

Sincerely,

Louise Solliday

Director

Attachment: Signed declaration form

Cc (without attachment or enclosure):

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